

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:	Pawelek et al.	Confirmation No.:	
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For:	VECTORS FOR THE DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT OF SOLID TUMORS INCLUDING MELANOMA	Attorney Docket No.:	8002-081-999

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, filed concurrently herewith, please amend the specification as set forth below. Submitted herewith are: (1) Information Disclosure Statement with attached Form 1449 listing references A01-A05; B01-B10; and C01-C90 and (2) a paper copy of Sequence Listing Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required fee(s) to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for such purpose.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

The Remarks begin on page 3.